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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 64th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

Date: Friday, February 20, 2015
Place: Capitol

Time: 8:00 AM
Room: 137

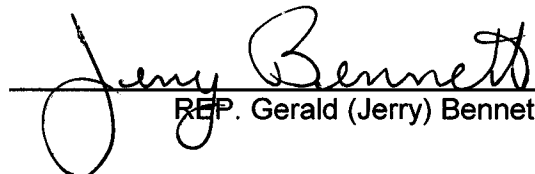
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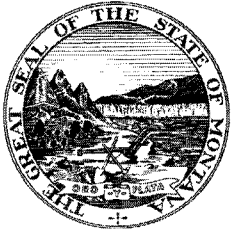
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EXECUTIVE ACTION TAKEN:

HB 227 - Do pass
HB 281 - Do pass as amended
HB 463 - Do pass as amended
HB 474 - Do pass
HB 477 - Do pass
HB 482 - Do pass
HB 490 - Tabled
HB 516 - Do pass
HB 518 - Do pass
HB 530 - Tabled

Comments:


REP. Gerald (Jerry) Bennett, Chair



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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL

NAME	PRESENT	ABSENT/EXCUSED
REP. ALAN DOANE, VICE CHAIRMAN	X	
REP. VIRGINIA COURT, VICE CHAIR		X
REP. KATHY KELKER	X	
REP. SETH BERGLEE	X	
REP. RANDALL PINOCCI	X	
REP. CLAYTON FISCUS	X	
REP. JENNY ECK		X
REP. ZAC PERRY	X	
REP. MATTHEW MONFORTON	X	
REP. MARGIE MACDONALD	X	
REP. ELLIE BOLDMAN HILL	X	
REP. CAROLYN PEASE-LOPEZ	X	
REP. SARAH LASZLOFFY	X	
REP. THERESA MANZELLA	X	
REP. NATE MCCONNELL	X	
REP. STEPHANIE HESS	X	
REP. G. BRUCE MEYERS	X	
REP. KIRK WAGONER	X	
REP. ANDREW PERSON	X	
REP. KEITH REGIER	X	X
REP. JERRY BENNETT, CHAIRMAN	X	

21 MEMBERS

BILL TABLED NOTICE


HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

The HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE TABLED

HB 490 - Providing restrictions for the use of long-term solitary confinement - Rep. Jennifer Eck

HB 530 - Generally revise criminal law for restoring rights to possess firearms - Rep. Ellie Boldman Hill

by motion, on **Friday, February 20, 2015** (PLEASE USE THIS ACTION DATE IN LAWS BILL STATUS).


(For the Committee)


(For the Chief Clerk of the House)

3pm / 2/20/15
(Time) (Date)

February 20, 2015 (2:47pm) McKenzie Chambers, Secretary

Phone: 444-4846



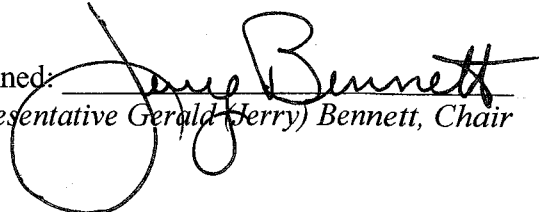
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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Judiciary** recommend that **House Bill 463** (first reading copy -- white) do pass as amended.

Signed: 
Representative Gerald (Jerry) Bennett, Chair

And, that such amendments read:

1. Page 2, line 4.

Following: "(b) "

Strike: "instruct the clerk of the district court of the county in which the seizure occurred to"

2. Page 3, line 13.

Following: "(1), "

Strike: "the clerk of the district court of the county in which the seizure occurred"

Insert: "a peace officer or an officer of the agency that seized the property"

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 21, No 0

Fiscal Note Required X

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Judiciary** recommend that **House Bill 474** (first reading copy -- white) **do pass.**

Signed:

Jerry Bennett
Representative Gerald (Jerry) Bennett, Chair

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 13, No 8

Fiscal Note Required X

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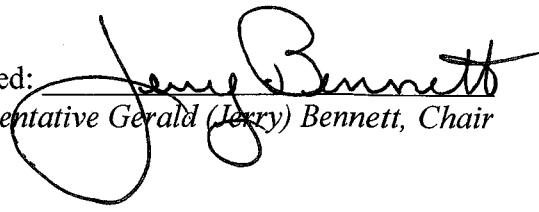
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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Judiciary** recommend that **House Bill 518** (first reading copy -- white) do pass.

Signed: 
Representative Gerald (Jerry) Bennett, Chair


- END -

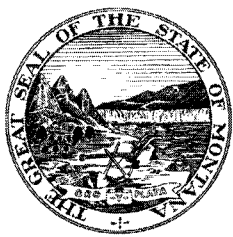
Committee Vote:

Yes 21, No 0

Fiscal Note Required X

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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB 281

DATE 2/20/15

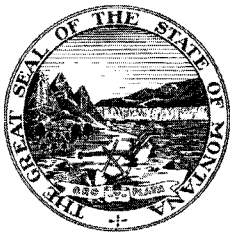
MOTION Be Amended

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. ALAN DOANE, VICE CHAIRMAN	X		
REP. VIRGINIA COURT, VICE CHAIR		X	
REP. KATHY KELKER		X	
REP. SETH BERGLEE	X		X
REP. RANDALL PINOCCI	X		
REP. CLAYTON FISCUS	X		X
REP. JENNY ECK		X	
REP. ZAC PERRY		X	
REP. MATTHEW MONFORTON	X		
REP. MARGIE MACDONALD		X	
REP. ELLIE BOLDMAN HILL		X	
REP. CAROLYN PEASE-LOPEZ		X	
REP. SARAH LASZLOFFY	X		
REP. THERESA MANZELLA	X		
REP. NATE MCCONNELL		X	
REP. STEPHANIE HESS	X		
REP. G. BRUCE MEYERS	X		
REP. KIRK WAGONER	X		
REP. ANDREW PERSON		X	
REP. KEITH REGIER	X		
REP. JERRY BENNETT, CHAIRMAN	X		

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21 MEMBERS

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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB 281

DATE 2/20/15

MOTION Do Pass As Amended

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. ALAN DOANE, VICE CHAIRMAN	X		
REP. VIRGINIA COURT, VICE CHAIR		X	
REP. KATHY KELKER		X	
REP. SETH BERGLEE	X		X
REP. RANDALL PINOCCI	X		
REP. CLAYTON FISCUS	X		X
REP. JENNY ECK		X	
REP. ZAC PERRY		X	
REP. MATTHEW MONFORTON	X		
REP. MARGIE MACDONALD		X	
REP. ELLIE BOLDMAN HILL		X	
REP. CAROLYN PEASE-LOPEZ		X	
REP. SARAH LASZLOFFY		X	
REP. THERESA MANZELLA	X		
REP. NATE MCCONNELL		X	
REP. STEPHANIE HESS	X		
REP. G. BRUCE MEYERS	X		
REP. KIRK WAGONER	X		
REP. ANDREW PERSON		X	
REP. KEITH REGIER	X		
REP. JERRY BENNETT, CHAIRMAN	X		

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Judiciary** recommend that **House Bill 477** (first reading copy -- white) **do pass.**

Signed:

Gerald (Jerry) Bennett
Representative Gerald (Jerry) Bennett, Chair

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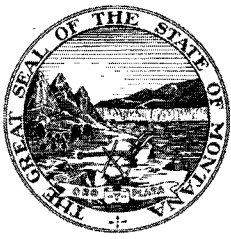
Committee Vote:

Yes 12, No 9

Fiscal Note Required X

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JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB 477

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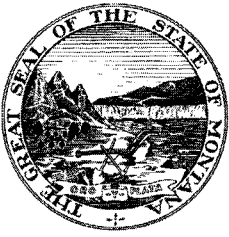
MOTION Do Pass

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. ALAN DOANE, VICE CHAIRMAN	X		
REP. VIRGINIA COURT, VICE CHAIR		X	
REP. KATHY KELKER		X	
REP. SETH BERGLEE	X		X
REP. RANDALL PINOCCI	X		
REP. CLAYTON FISCUS	X		X
REP. JENNY ECK		X	
REP. ZAC PERRY		X	
REP. MATTHEW MONFORTON	X		
REP. MARGIE MACDONALD		X	
REP. ELLIE BOLDMAN HILL		X	
REP. CAROLYN PEASE-LOPEZ		X	
REP. SARAH LASZLOFFY	X		
REP. THERESA MANZELLA	X		
REP. NATE MCCONNELL		X	
REP. STEPHANIE HESS	X		
REP. G. BRUCE MEYERS	X		
REP. KIRK WAGONER	X		
REP. ANDREW PERSON		X	
REP. KEITH REGIER	X		
REP. JERRY BENNETT, CHAIRMAN	X		

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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB 482

DATE 2/20/16

MOTION DO Pass

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. ALAN DOANE, VICE CHAIRMAN	X		
REP. VIRGINIA COURT, VICE CHAIR	X		
REP. KATHY KELKER	X		
REP. SETH BERGLEE	X		X
REP. RANDALL PINOCCI	X		
REP. CLAYTON FISCUS	X		X
REP. JENNY ECK	X		
REP. ZAC PERRY	X		
REP. MATTHEW MONFORTON	X	SB	
REP. MARGIE MACDONALD	X		
REP. ELLIE BOLDMAN HILL	X		
REP. CAROLYN PEASE-LOPEZ	X		
REP. SARAH LASZLOFFY	X		
REP. THERESA MANZELLA	X		
REP. NATE MCCONNELL	X		
REP. STEPHANIE HESS	X		
REP. G. BRUCE MEYERS	X		
REP. KIRK WAGONER	X		
REP. ANDREW PERSON	X		
REP. KEITH REGIER	X		
REP. JERRY BENNETT, CHAIRMAN	X		

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Judiciary** recommend that **House Bill 482** (first reading copy -- white) **do pass.**

Signed:

Gerald (Jerry) Bennett
Representative Gerald (Jerry) Bennett, Chair

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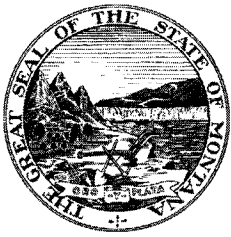
Committee Vote:

Yes 21, No 0

Fiscal Note Required X

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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB490

DATE 2/20/15

MOTION Do Pass

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. ALAN DOANE, VICE CHAIRMAN		X	
REP. VIRGINIA COURT, VICE CHAIR	X		
REP. KATHY KELKER	X		
REP. SETH BERGLEE		X	X
REP. RANDALL PINOCCI		X	
REP. CLAYTON FISCUS		X	X
REP. JENNY ECK	X		
REP. ZAC PERRY	X		
REP. MATTHEW MONFORTON		X	
REP. MARGIE MACDONALD	X		
REP. ELLIE BOLDMAN HILL	X		
REP. CAROLYN PEASE-LOPEZ	X		
REP. SARAH LASZLOFFY		X	
REP. THERESA MANZELLA		X	
REP. NATE MCCONNELL	X		
REP. STEPHANIE HESS		X	
REP. G. BRUCE MEYERS	X	X	
REP. KIRK WAGONER		X	
REP. ANDREW PERSON	X		
REP. KEITH REGIER		X	
REP. JERRY BENNETT, CHAIRMAN		X	

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Judiciary** recommend that **House Bill 516** (first reading copy -- white) **do pass.**

Signed:

Gerald (Jerry) Bennett
Representative Gerald (Jerry) Bennett, Chair

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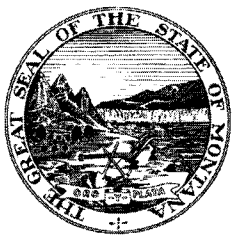
Committee Vote:

Yes 21, No 0

Fiscal Note Required ☐

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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB 530

DATE 2/20/15

MOTION Do Pass

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. ALAN DOANE, VICE CHAIRMAN		X	
REP. VIRGINIA COURT, VICE CHAIR	X		
REP. KATHY KELKER	X		
REP. SETH BERGLEE		X	X
REP. RANDALL PINOCCI		X	
REP. CLAYTON FISCUS		X	X
REP. JENNY ECK	X		
REP. ZAC PERRY	X		
REP. MATTHEW MONFORTON		X	
REP. MARGIE MACDONALD	X		
REP. ELLIE BOLDMAN HILL	X		
REP. CAROLYN PEASE-LOPEZ	X		
REP. SARAH LASZLOFFY		X	
REP. THERESA MANZELLA		X	
REP. NATE MCCONNELL	X		
REP. STEPHANIE HESS		X	
REP. G. BRUCE MEYERS	X		
REP. KIRK WAGONER		X	
REP. ANDREW PERSON	X		
REP. KEITH REGIER		X	
REP. JERRY BENNETT, CHAIRMAN		X	

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Judiciary** recommend that **House Bill 227** (first reading copy -- white) **do pass.**

Signed:

Gerry Bennett
Representative Gerald (Jerry) Bennett, Chair

- END -

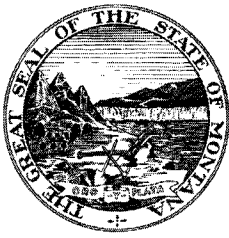
Committee Vote:

Yes 18, No 3

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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB 137

DATE 2/20/15

MOTION Be removed from the table

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. ALAN DOANE, VICE CHAIRMAN		X	
REP. VIRGINIA COURT, VICE CHAIR	X		
REP. KATHY KELKER	X		
REP. SETH BERGLEE			
REP. RANDALL PINOCCI	X	X	
REP. CLAYTON FISCUS			
REP. JENNY ECK	X		
REP. ZAC PERRY	X		
REP. MATTHEW MONFORTON		X	
REP. MARGIE MACDONALD	X		
REP. ELLIE BOLDMAN HILL	X		
REP. CAROLYN PEASE-LOPEZ	X		
REP. SARAH LASZLOFFY		X	
REP. THERESA MANZELLA		X	
REP. NATE MCCONNELL	X		
REP. STEPHANIE HESS		X	
REP. G. BRUCE MEYERS		X	
REP. KIRK WAGONER		X	
REP. ANDREW PERSON	X		
REP. KEITH REGIER		X	
REP. JERRY BENNETT, CHAIRMAN		X	

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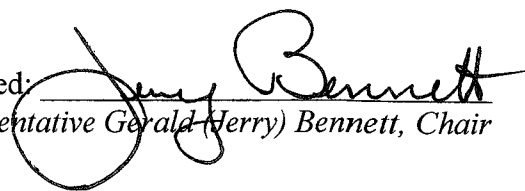
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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Judiciary** recommend that **House Bill 281** (first reading copy -- white) do pass as amended.

Signed: 
Representative Gerald (Jerry) Bennett, Chair

And, that such amendments read:

1. Title, page 1, line 9.

Strike: "87-6-102,"

2. Page 1, line 25.

Following: "search,"

Strike: "without"

Insert: "only with"

3. Page 1, line 29.

Following: second "only"

Strike: "when accompanied by"

Insert: "upon notification to"

4. Page 2, line 22.

Strike: "Except for the authority granted in subsection (1)(b),
a"

Insert: "A"

5. Page 2, line 30 through page 3, line 3.

Strike: section 3 in its entirety

Renumber: subsequent sections

6. Page 3, line 15 through line 16.

Following: "7" on line 15

Insert: ", "

Committee Vote:

Yes 11, No 10

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Strike: "and" on line 15
Following: "~~negligently~~" on line 16
Insert: ", or negligently"

7. Page 6, line 18.

Following: "~~7~~"
Insert: ", "
Strike: "and"
Following: "~~negligently~~"
Insert: ", or negligently"

8. Page 9, line 14.

Strike: "purposely and knowingly"
Insert: "negligently"

9. Page 11, line 26.

Following: "~~7~~"
Strike: "and"
Insert: ", "
Following: "~~negligently~~"
Insert: ", or negligently"

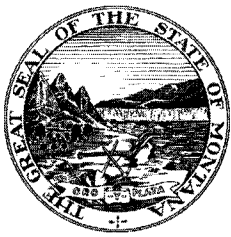
10. Page 14, line 21.

Strike: "[Sections 4 and 5]"
Insert: "[Sections 3 and 4]"

11. Page 14, line 22 through line 23.

Strike: "[sections 4 and 5]"
Insert: "[sections 3 and 4]"

- END -



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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB 474

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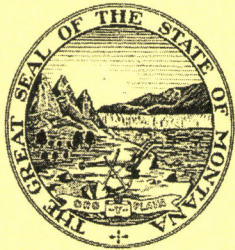
MOTION Do Pass

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. ALAN DOANE, VICE CHAIRMAN		X	
REP. VIRGINIA COURT, VICE CHAIR	X		
REP. KATHY KELKER	X		
REP. SETH BERGLEE		X	X
REP. RANDALL PINOCCI		X	
REP. CLAYTON FISCUS		X	X
REP. JENNY ECK	X		
REP. ZAC PERRY	X		
REP. MATTHEW MONFORTON		X	
REP. MARGIE MACDONALD	X		
REP. ELLIE BOLDMAN HILL	X		
REP. CAROLYN PEASE-LOPEZ	X		
REP. SARAH LASZLOFFY	X		
REP. THERESA MANZELLA	X		
REP. NATE MCCONNELL	X		
REP. STEPHANIE HESS	X		
REP. G. BRUCE MEYERS	X		
REP. KIRK WAGONER		X	
REP. ANDREW PERSON	X		
REP. KEITH REGIER		X	
REP. JERRY BENNETT, CHAIRMAN		X	

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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

AUTHORIZED COMMITTEE PROXY

I request to be excused from the _____

Judiciary

Committee because of other commitments. I desire to leave my proxy vote with:

Rep Doane

Indicate Bill number and your vote Aye or No. If there are amendments, list them by name and number under the bill and indicate a separate vote for each amendment.

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE

NO

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE

NO

HB 281	✓	
HB 028101.AMT	✓	
HB 028103.AMT	✓	
HB 028104.AMT	✓	
HB 463	✓	
HB 046301.AMT	✓	
HB 474	.	✓
HB 477	✓	
HB 482	-	
HB 490		-
HB 516	✓	
HB 518	✓	
HB 530		✓
HB 227 amendment	✓	

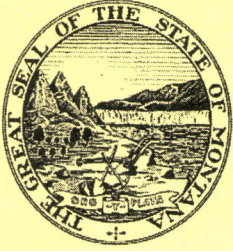
Rep.

(Signature)

Seth Beyfel

Date

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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

AUTHORIZED COMMITTEE PROXY

I request to be excused from the House Judiciary

Committee because of other commitments. I desire to leave my proxy vote with:

Alvin Dorn

Indicate Bill number and your vote Aye or No. If there are amendments, list them by name and number under the bill and indicate a separate vote for each amendment.

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE

NO

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE

NO

HB 281	✓	
HB 28101.4H+	✓	
HB 28103.4H+	✓	
HB 28104.4H+	✓	
HB 463	✓	
HB 46301.4H+	✓	
HB 474		✓
HB 477	✓	
HB 482	✓	
HB 490		✓
HB 516	✓	
HB 518	✓	
HB 530		✓
HB 227 as table	✓	

Rep.

(Signature)

Alvin Dorn

Date

MONTANA House of Representatives
Visitors Register
HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

Friday, February 20, 2015

HB 492 - Revise membership of the multi-agency reentry task force

Sponsor: Rep. Casey Schreiner

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Please leave prepared testimony with Secretary. Witness Statement forms are available if you care to submit written testimony.

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Friday, February 20, 2015

HB 398 - Revise laws relating to the recovery of attorney fees in resource permitting

Sponsor: **Rep. Tom Richmond**

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Friday, February 20, 2015

HB 497 - Providing immunity from certain prosecutions for person seeking medical care

Sponsor: **Rep. Bryce Bennett**

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Friday, February 20, 2015

HB 397 - Revise adoption laws related to release of birth certificates to adoptees

Sponsor: Rep. Kimberly Dudik

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